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Filing Date:	December 31, 2001) Art Unit:
For:	PIPE ELEMENT FOR BENDING) 3679
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Docket No.: 19086.3

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(X) No additional fee is required.

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CENTRAL FAX CENTER**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Number Extra	Rate	AUG 16 2004 FEE
Total claims	14	-	23	X	x\$18	0
Independent claims	2	-	3	X	x\$86	0
Multiple dependent claim added					\$290	0
					TOTAL \$	0
() If small entity, then divide total fee by 2					SMALL ENTITY TOTAL \$	

- () A Petition for Extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a).
- () Please charge Deposit Account Number 50-0698 in the amount of \$
for the Extension and claims fees.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of fees
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- (X) Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this
conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that
applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee
for extension of time.

Respectfully submitted

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This communication is in response to the Office Action in the subject patent application mailed May 17th, 2004. Please amend this application as indicated.